

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF ALASKA**

STATE OF ALASKA,

Plaintiff,

v.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, *et al.*,

Defendant.

Case No. 3:21-cv-00221-SLG

**ORDER RE JOINT MOTION TO AMEND THE SCHEDULING AND PLANNING
ORDER**

Before the Court at Docket 22 is the Parties' *Joint Motion to Amend the Scheduling and Planning Order*. Upon due consideration, the motion is hereby GRANTED. IT IS ORDERED that the Scheduling and Planning Order at Docket 19 is AMENDED as follows:

December 20, 2023	Initial Discovery Production Deadline*
January 12, 2024	Discovery Deadline for State RFP 11 and 17, if needed
February 1, 2024¹	Exchange of Initial Expert Reports; Exchange Documents Supporting Initial Expert Reports
May 1, 2024	Exchange of Rebuttal Expert Reports

¹ The Partys' February 1 Initial Expert Report deadline is subject to change based on whether the parties are able to acquire key river data from the University of Alaska Fairbanks.

May 1, 2024	First Pause of Discovery for Settlement Discussions
June 14, 2024	Discovery Resumes; Exchange of preliminary witness lists.
September 30, 2024	Exchange of final witness lists
November 15, 2024	Close of Discovery; Second Pause for Settlement Discussions
December 13, 2024	Joint Status Report to update court on settlement status and, if necessary, to propose a deadline for the filing of motions under LR 16.1(c)(7)-(8)

DATED this 4th day of December 2023, at Anchorage, Alaska.

/s/ Sharon L. Gleason
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE